

REMARKS

Claims 1-17 are pending and stand allowed. Claim 18 was rejected, but is cancelled without prejudice.

CONCLUSION

For at least the foregoing reasons, Assignee respectfully submits that the application is in a condition for allowance and a notice of allowance is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees in connection with any of the actions requested herein to deposit account number 13-0017.

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Respectfully submitted,



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